

Jean E. Ives 6-18-98

Memorial services for Jean Ives were held June 10 at the First Presbyterian Church of Groton with the Rev. Gerald Rife officiating. The Paetznick-Garness Funeral Chapel in Groton was in charge of arrangements.

She died Tuesday, May 12, 1998 at her home in Pendleton, Ore. She is formerly of the Groton area.

Jean Pratt was born June 12, 1925 at Aberdeen to Frank and Frances (Wood) Pratt. She grew up in the Putney area and attended schools at Putney and then graduated from high school at Groton. She received a teaching certificate from Northern State Teachers College in Aberdeen and taught in rural schools in Brown County. She married Lyle Dean Ives at Groton on April 18, 1945. The couple lived at Aberdeen; Spokane, Wash.; Omaha; Las Vegas; Great Falls, Mont., and Missoula, Mont., before moving to Pendleton. They owned and operated Jean's Hallmark Store for 10 years.

She was a member of the First Presbyterian Church of Pendleton where she was a deacon, was involved with Presbyterian Women and was on the House and Grounds Committee. She was involved in the Pendleton Downtown Business Association, the Community Bargain Counter, the Research Club and the Grecian Heights Homeowners Association where she had served as a secretary.

Survivors include a son, Richard of Camano Island, Wash.; a daughter, Barbara Low of Mead, Wash.; two sisters, Marjorie (George) Cliff of Aberdeen and Virginia (Eugene) Abeln of Groton; and two grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her parents, her husband Lyle in 1987, and an infant daughter, Patricia.

Marie Sternhagen was the organist, Pam Hanson was the soloist and Ben Anderson was the usher.